



COVID-19 Guidelines

SPECTATORS

We are tied to restrictions by specific city or state protocols. We are proud to say all facilities have viewing areas, but understand that you must closely follow the restrictions tied to each location. Some viewing areas are more restrictive than others but know that health and safety and the opportunity for athletes to be back on the field is our first priority. We will be following all local, ASA, and CDC recommendations. Please note guidelines are subject to change:

SPECTATOR GUIDELINES for each facility

- **SEE INFO TENT FOR SPECIFIC VIEWING AREAS at each facility**
- Limited spectators are encouraged
- Facial covering is **REQUIRED**
- Social Distancing will be enforced
- When using a tent, please restrict it to members of a single household only. Also, tents must be **SIX feet apart** from other tents
- Parent/ Guardians shouldn't arrive more than 10 minutes before assigned game kickoff (please stay in your car until the previous teams have cleared the area)

SPECTATOR GUIDELINES for Tempe Sports Complex

- **TEMPERATURE CHECKS ARE REQUIRED FOR EVERYONE!**
- All spectators and players must check in at field 5, 30minutes prior to game time
- Field marshals will tell the parents where they can watch the game
- When using a tent, please restrict it to members of a single household only. Also, tents must be **SIX feet apart** from other tents

***ANY PARENT THAT DOES NOT FOLLOW THESE GUIDELINES WILL RESULT IN THE TEAMS FORFEITURE.**



Protocols and Responsibilities

What we expect from Clubs, Coaches, Parents, and Players attending our events.

In order to participate in any soccer activities other than individual activities at home, an individual including, but not limited to, players, coaches and club staff (“participants”) must satisfy the following criteria.

- No signs or symptoms of COVID-19 in the past 14 days and have not been exposed to someone that has been ill in 14 days.
- Take temperature before participating in any soccer activity.
- There shall be no activities that would require direct or indirect contact between players.
- Clean equipment with disinfectant before and after training.

Club Criteria (What We Expect From Clubs)

- Created and distributed protocols to its members.
- Trained and educated all club staff on protocols and requirements.
- Provide infection prevention supplies to coaches for training (e.g., hand sanitizer, facial coverings, etc.)
- Grids marked off to provide adequate field space for social distancing.
- Hand sanitizer with coaches each session.

Coach Criteria (What We Expect From Coaches)

- Ensure the health and safety of all players..
- Before each soccer activity ask all players how the athletes are feeling and whether they are experiencing any signs or symptoms of COVID-19 (e.g. cough, fever, or loss of taste or smell). Also ask if their temperature was taken.
- If the athlete has any signs or symptoms of COVID-19, they should be sent home and instructed to contact their healthcare provider.
- Follow all club health protocols and ensure social distancing at all times including team meetings/talks before, during and after soccer activities.
- Ensure all athletes have their individual equipment (ball, water, bag etc.).
- Coach is the only person to handle all training equipment (e.g. cones, disk, flags, etc.).



- Wear a face mask, when not actively coaching, maintain social distance requirements from players based on state and local health requirements.
- Have fun, stay positive – players and parents are looking to you to stay calm, supportive and caring during this time.
- Scrimmage vest or pinnies can not be shared and must be sanitized after each use.

Parent Criteria (What We Expect From Parents)

- Ensure your child is healthy.
- Check your child's temperature daily and ask whether they are experiencing any symptoms of COVID-19 (e.g. cough, fever, or loss of taste or smell).
- Parents are not permitted on or near the field.
- Parents must stay outside the fence line of MP 1-9 and must adhere to social distancing guidelines while at the park.
- Ensure child's clothing is washed after every training session.
- Ensure all equipment, cleats, ball, shin guards etc. are washed or sanitized before and after every training.
- Notify the club immediately if your child becomes ill for any reason or by telephone.

Player Criteria (What We Expect From Players)

- Take temperature regularly
- Wash hands thoroughly before and after soccer activity.
- Use hand sanitizer at breaks during soccer activity.
- Observe the separation of the "stations" established by the coach at the bench area and make certain to place all of your belongings (bags, water bottle and equipment) at least 6 feet apart.
- Do not touch or share anyone else's equipment, water, snack or bag.
- Practice social distancing. No group celebrations, no high 5's, hugs, handshakes etc.

POST TOURNAMENT GUIDELINES

If a player, coach or parent receives a positive Covid test AFTER or DURING the tournament, they are required to email us at tournaments@fcarizona.com. Please give us your name, club and team name.